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JUST WHAT IT MEANS.

The INDEPENDENT boldly asserts that that board perpetrated a fraud, and that the men it declared elected shall never take their seats. Does the INDEPENDENT, in outlining an era of revolution, mean to say that its party intends to resort to assassination—Journal.

THE INDEPENDENT means to say that the revolution was instigated by Sanders, Hershfield, Seligman & Co.

It means to say that the act of Jack and Hall, the Silver Bow canvassers, in refusing to count an honest and lawful vote, in order that a minority fairly defeated at the polls should be counted in, was an act of revolution.

It means to say that the act of the State Canvassing Board in sanctioning and ratifying that crime, was an act of revolution.

It means to say that the democratic party will never let the crimes of the conspirators be consummated; that it will exhaust every resource of the law in the maintenance of a fair and honest count and that then, if the conspirators against the ballot still persist in defying the law, it will meet fraud with force.

And, in that event, it further means to say that the consequences of their crimes will surely be visited upon the heads of the men who have invoked revolution.

The Journal's talk about assassination is silly, and is the emanation of a guilty conscience. The democrats of Montana are fair and manly men, fearless and open fighters, as the Journal will find. The only assassin we know of is the one the conspirators have employed to aid them in their crimes against the franchise.

FLORIDA AND MONTANA.

The vote of Florida was stolen from Hayes and the republican candidate for governor in 1876 by the canvassing board of that state by exactly the same methods employed by the Montana board this year to secure two republican United States senators. In Florida as in Montana the county clerks certified the county returns to the state board which in turn eliminated enough precincts in several counties to give the Hayes electors and the republican candidate for governor a majority. Drew, the counted out candidate for governor, went into the supreme court of the state and applied for a mandamus to compel this board to restore to their canvass the eliminated precincts; and the supreme court decided that the state canvassers had no power under the laws of Florida to eliminate votes, but they were bound to count every lawful vote put into the ballot box; that they were neither electors nor judges. The state canvassers obeyed the order of court, restored to the canvass the rejected precincts and gave a certificate to Drew.

The Tilden electors also resorted to the courts to have the vote cast for them properly counted but, owing to the law's delays, the Hayes electors, who had been unlawfully counted in, had time to meet, cast their votes for Hayes and send the result to Washington. The Tilden electors tried in vain to get their rights but failed, and the Presidency was lost to the democrats.

There are some striking parallels in the situation in Florida in 1876 and in Montana in 1889. Only in Montana the members elect of the Supreme Court could not decently sit in judgment on the contest because all were interested in the result of the election and one of them was himself a member of the canvassing board that did the counting out and would be a defendant in the action.

The crimes against the ballot by the returning board soundbored in 1876 gave the democrats victories in many states in 1877. The conspiracy to steal Montana has in like manner been followed by the overthrow of the republicans in their strongholds in 1889. Next year it will be a tidal wave.

We say it without fear of contradiction that the handiwork pair of Governors in the United States are Joseph K. Toole of Montana and James E. Campbell of Ohio. Both made brilliant reputations in Congress and both are young democrats of whom the party has reason to be proud.

The memories of the wrongs they have done to the 172 honest voters of precinct 34 in robbing them of their suffrages, for no cause and in violation of law and justice, should haunt the men who sanctioned this crime to their dying days.

J. MADISON BLAKE, Anderson White and Casanave Walker will live in the history of Montana as awful warnings. They are less fortunate than their Lou-

isiana brethren in not having an Eliza Pinkston to share their obloquy with them.

At least two members of the late state board of canvassers will never canvass another vote and the third one wouldn't if the people could have a chance to vote on his candidacy again. They are three melancholy political ruins.

It's a great year for democratic governors. Toole in Montana, Campbell in Ohio, Boies in Iowa, McKinney in Virginia, and Abbott in New Jersey. That's a good indication of the political drift.

To-day will probably see the end of the legal proceeding against the ballot thieves. But they are yet to face the judgment of another tribunal.

A DEMOCRAT will represent Ohio in the United States senate for the next six years. Montana will send two more to keep him company.

SNATCHED FROM THE WIRES.

Ohio and Iowa Republicans Call on Their Montana Brethren.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 6.—To W. F. Sanders: We need a returning board. J. Madison Wells, Anderson and Casanave all dead. Tried to stop Wm. Jack but he hurried away. Can't you spare us H. N. Blake and B. E. White. Can get along without Walker. We are beat unless they come. Emergency great. Answer quick.

J. B. FORAKER.—Yes. They are good ones. Think they will go readily, as they prefer to get away from here until storm brewing blows over. You will have to provide transportation for White; but Blake can use the pass I gave him as chief justice. Will answer later.

W. F. SANDERS.—To J. B. Foraker—Have just seen them. They will gladly serve you, and will leave at once. Blake suggests that you have abstracts all ready so they can sign and adjourn before mandamus can be served on them.

W. F. SANDERS.—To W. F. Sanders—Thanks. You are a darling. As governor of Ohio I will gladly greet Senator Sanders at Washington this winter. People of Montana have not appreciated you.

J. B. FORAKER.—To J. B. Foraker—D—n the people. I'll get there all the same.

W. F. SANDERS.—IOWA CITY, IOWA, Nov. 6.—To A. J. Seligman: Gov. Foraker wires me that he has arranged for the services of Blake and White as returning board in his state. Can't you have them stop here on their way?

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR.

To Hutchinson—Will make the arrangement you ask. Can send you first-class affidavit-maker if desired; also our attorneys, Campbell and Knowles. You can return Campbell if you wish, but for God's sake keep Knowles there.

A. J. SELIGMAN.—To A. J. Seligman—Send 'em all along. Want none but first-class operators. We will have to steal the state or we are gone.

HUTCHINSON.—PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 6.—To L. H. Hershfield—Is it possible for you to do anything for us? We are buried under 50,000 majority.

MAHONEY.—To Mahoney—Be of good cheer. Me and Tom send by express to-day our left over stock of spurious and forged affidavits which Tom says it is too late in the season for him to use in this altitude. Have wired Russ to see pa and go on down to meet you. You might keep him there. I can spare him.

L. H. HERSHFIELD.

SWITCHMEN ON A STRIKE.

Employees of Southern Roads Making a Stand for Higher Wages.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 6.—A strike among railroad switchmen began at the yards of the Northeastern road some days ago, and it is spreading, with a possibility of reaching other lines of railroad. The workmen in the Southern Pacific, Illinois Central, Louisville & Nashville and valley roads also went out yesterday. The strikers warn off new men employed to take their places. Affairs look ugly. The strike is for an increase of wages.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 6.—The freight conductors and brakemen of the Evansville & Terre Haute and Evansville & Indianapolis roads struck to-day, claiming they are not receiving the standard wages. The company acceded to part of the demands, to take effect December 1st, but the strikers insisted on the new scale going into effect immediately. The company not agreeing to this, the men struck. Everything is quiet.

To Reorganize the Trust.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The committee on the reorganization of the cotton oil trust made a report this afternoon. It showed the president and treasurer of the trust used the funds of the trust for the purpose, as they state, of strengthening and maintaining the credit of the concern by supporting the price of certificates. Over a half million dollars has been lost in this manner. Flagler, president, contributed \$150,000; J. O. Morse, treasurer, \$100,000; making good the loss, and the balance, \$277,100, has been charged off on the books of the company. A report providing for the changing of the trust into a corporation was adopted. The new concern will have \$21,000,000 of common stock and \$15,000,000 preferred.

Want More Courts.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—Edward Otis Hinkley, secretary of the American Bar association, and Mr. J. Hubley Ashton, of Washington, delivered to President Harrison to-day a letter prepared by a distinguished committee in behalf of the association, setting forth the great accumulation of business in the United States supreme court and making a strong statement of the urgent necessity for the enactment of some measure of relief. Secretary Hinkley told the president the committee requested that he call the attention of congress to the subject in his forthcoming annual message. The president answered him that he would do so.

Career of a Swindler.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The American Sherman, whose marriage to Miss Burns through an alleged conspiracy caused a scandal last year, has decamped with his family from Sunbury, in debt to most of the leading tradesmen of the place. Sherman is believed to be identical with the man charged by the New York authorities with the metal fraud.

SUSPECT KUNZE IDENTIFIED.

Testimony of the Police and Others in the Cronin Trial.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—In the Cronin case to-day Robert T. Stanton, a printer, identified the card presented to Cronin when enticed away to his death, as printed by him and delivered to defendant, O'Sullivan, only two days before the murder. Ex-Captain Wing, of the Lake View Police, identified the bloody trunk as the one brought to the station by his men on the day following the murder, and Herman Thiel identified it as the one found by him in a ditch by the roadside.

Officer Phillips, of Lake View Police, identified the trunk. On the 23rd or 24th of May, he said, he went to O'Sullivan's house to arrest him. While there, O'Sullivan, looking toward the Cronin cottage, saw a number of people going into it and said: "What in h— are they going there for?"

Capt. Wing, of the Lake View police testified to receiving the key found by the policeman in the cottage on which was smeared some paint, similar to that on the cottage floor. The key fitted the locks of the trunk in evidence.

William L. James testified that last February he occupied a room in the Opera House block overlooking the upper part of 117 Clark street. In that month he often saw two men in those rooms. He identified the prisoner Kunze as one of them.

THE COLFAX MYSTERY.

One Thousand Dollars Reward Offered by the First National Bank of That Town.

The Spokane Falls Review says: The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Emil Frank, the Colfax merchant, is still unsolved, and the reward of \$1,000 for the body, dead or alive, offered yesterday by the First National bank of Colfax has tended toward deepening the mystery. The withdrawal of the \$300 reward a few days ago gave rise to the opinion that the body had been found, but such is evidently not the case. An additional sum of \$500 has been offered for any information that would lead to the clearing up of the matter.

RACES IN THE EAST.

The Winners Yesterday on the Nashville and Elizabeth Tracks.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 6.—Two-year-olds, five furlongs—J. B. Freed won, Nanny second, Romaine third. Time 1:34.

Six furlongs—Consigee won, Puente second, Tommy R third. Time 1:37 1/4.

One mile—Pantalette won, Vermont second, Argenta third. Time 1:44.

One mile—Cruiser won, Brandolette second, Queen of Trumps third. Time 1:43.

Seven furlongs—Brown Duke won, Deer Lodge second, Katie R third. Time 1:31.

Two-year-old fillies, nine-sixteenths of a mile—Bullyhoon won, Lizzie C second, Mora third. Time 57 1/4.

New Jersey Races.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Nov. 6.—Five furlongs—Lela May won, Tipstaff second, Cracksman third. Time 1:35 1/2.

Six furlongs—Lisimony won, Hop filly second, Veronica third. Time 1:39 1/2.

One mile—Little Minch won, Oregon second. Time 1:46 1/2.

One mile and an eighth—Brussels won, Wilfred second, Macbeth third. Time 2:01 1/2.

Six furlongs—Brown Charlie won, Glenmond second, Girondes third. Time 1:38 1/2.

One mile—Refund won, St. Valentine second, J. J. O'Brien third. Time 1:49.

Don Davenport Coal Company: office removed to Gates' building, corner Warren and Sixth avenue. Coal exclusively.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were filed for record yesterday with County Clerk and Recorder Tooker:

Chas. S. Jackson, trustee, to E. S. Wood and Richard M. Calkins, lots 3 and 4, block 17, lots 29 and 30, block 18, lots 15 and 16, block 191, syndicate addition 1 to John C. Bullitt, Jr., trustee, to Montana Fire Brick and Manufacturing Company, the south 100 feet of lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 60, Northern Pacific addition.

T. C. Power et al. to L. G. Phelps and Martin MacIntosh, ground in Helena townsite.

Thos. F. Casey et al. to R. Wells, a fourth interest in the Little Giant quartz lode mining claim, Ottawa district.

R. V. Jacob, et al. to Catherine Gillan, lot 12, block 4, Northern Pacific addition.

L. N. Shoup to James Sanders, land for deed to lots 3 and 4, block 16, Flower garden addition.

H. T. Fowler et al. to Helena Street Railway Company, ground in original townsite.

Chas. F. Smith et al. to Rose Smith, lot 11, block A, Blake addition.

Chas. B. Lee to Lillian Haggarty, lot 5, block 45, Broadwater addition.

THE MARKETS.

STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Bar silver 95. Copper—Unchanged.

Lead—Dull and firm; domestic, \$3.87 1/2. Stocks were more active today for the regular list and the tone, while feverish and irregular, was generally firm. Toward the close positive strength developed, which resulted in the establishment of material advances all over the list.

The only decline was in 14 in Reading, while Chicago rose 2 1/2. Louisville & Nashville 1 1/2. Denver, Texas & Fort Worth, 1 1/2. and Rock Island 1 1/2. Governments heavy.

Petroleum opened steady at 10 1/2, became strong and advanced to 10 7/8. A period of dullness followed and the market closed firm at 10 1/2.

Government bonds, 4, 10 1/2; 4 1/2, 10 1/4; Northern Pacific, 3 1/2; preferred, 7 1/2; Oregon Improvement, 4 1/2; Oregon Navigation, 10; Transcontinental, 3 1/2; Union Pacific, 6 1/2.

Money on call, easier, 4 1/2; closed offered at 2 Prime mercantile, paper, 5 1/2. Sterling exchange quiet and steady; sixty-day bills, \$4.81; demand, \$4.85.

CHICAGO CATTLE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000, dull and generally weak, closing lower; choice to extra heavy, \$4.80 @ 5.25; steers, \$2.75 @ 4.50; stockers and feeders, \$1.90 @ 2.85; Texas cattle, \$1.40 @ 2.70; western range, \$1.90 @ 2.50.

Hops—Receipts, 25,000; slow and about 5c. lower; mixed, \$3.50 @ 4.10; heavy, \$2.70 @ 4.00; light, \$3.50 @ 4.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; steady; natives, \$3.00 @ 4.00; westerns, \$3.50 @ 4.15; Texans, \$2.40 @ 4.10.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6, 11 1/2 p. m.—Close—Wheat—higher, Nov. 29 1/4; May, 8 1/4.

Corn—Higher, Nov. 25 1/2; May, 23 1/4.

Oats—Steady, Nov. 18 1/4; May, 22 1/4.

Pork—Steady, Nov. \$9.00; Jan., \$9.12 1/2.

Lard—Steady, Nov. \$5.82 1/2; Jan., \$5.92 1/2.

Bear River Canal Company.

Notice to contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Bear Lake and River Water Works and Irrigation Company, (Bathwell Canal System) in Ogden, Utah, up to Nov. 15, 1889, noon, for the excavation of the prairie work of the Bear River Canal, east branch, including fifty miles of canal and about two million 250,000 cubic yards of material. Plans and specifications may be seen in the office of the engineer in charge, in Ogden. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the order of the secretary of the company, for an amount equal to 5 per cent. of the bid work to be let. The bid in five or ten miles or in the whole. The company reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FRED. MATHIAS, Engineer in Charge.

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We wish to call your Special Attention to our Black Dress Goods Department this week, where we will offer some Rare Bargains to Buyers of such Goods.

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